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SUBJECT: ARAB OIL MONEY FOR LAOS

REF: VIENTIANE 6330

1. GOVERNMENT

NATIONAL BANK, OUDONG SOUVANNAVONG, AUGUST 15
ASKED USAID DIR TO CALL ON HIM TO EXCHANGE VIEWS ON RUMORED
ARAB OIL LOAN DISCUSSED REFTEL. GOVERNOR NATIONAL BANK EXPRESSED
CONCERN ABOUT BONAFIDES OF INDIVIDUALS ALLEGEDLY CONCERNED WITH
TRANSACTIONS AND ASKED IF WE COULD OBTAIN INFORMATION ABOUT
THOSE WHO ARE APPARENTLY INVOLVED: THEY ARE A) M. K. LAU, MANAGER,
SUN HILL CORP. HONG KONG AND HIS ASSOCIATE MEISING (PHOENTIC
SPELLING), AND B) M. T. TSUI WITH BANK OF AMERICAN, KOWLOON
OFFICE.

2. THIS MIGHT WELL BE WILD GOOSE CHASE, HOWEVER, WOULD BE
GRATEFUL IF AMCONSUL/HONG KONG WOULD TRY TO FIND OUT WHO ARE
INDIVIDUALS IF, IN FACT, THEY DO EXIST.
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